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of those things are individually alone, singularly prohibited acts as it relates to the production of cattle or the production of livestock products, and I don't think that's what the body intends. And, while I am inclined to agree with the senior member's forecast of what will happen when there's litigation and the court will look at this and say, gee, that's a really absurd result since you have to own the cattle at least at the point where it goes into the slaughterhouse, you have to keep cattle maybe a moment before you put them in, you have to feed them if they don't go in through some feeding cycle, gee, this is really absurd, I wasn't of the opinion that we wanted to pass legislation which could be defended on the basis of its absurdity from achieving an unintended consequence. That's not usually our standard. So I continue to urge the adoption of AM1299 and we'll see how all of you colleagues feel. Thank you very much.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Chambers (sic). The question before us is the adoption of AM1290....

SENATOR BRASHEAR: I'm Senator Brashear.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: Thank you, Senator Brashear. (Laughter) The question before us is the adoption of AM1299 to LB 835. Those in favor vote aye, those opposed nay. Have you all voted? Mr. Clerk, please record.

CLERK: 6 ayes, 10 nays on the amendment, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT MAURSTAD: The Brashear amendment, having not garnered enough support, is not adopted. Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Mr. President, some items, thank you. Education reports LB 782 to General File with amendments attached. I have a hearing notice for LR 69 by the Urban Affairs Committee. New resolution, study resolution by Health and Human Services (re LR 70). Senator Bruning would like to print amendments to LB 791, and Enrollment and Review reports LB 594 and LB 594A, LB 271, LB 623, and LB 740 to Select File, some of which have Enrollment and Review amendments attached, Mr. President. (See pages 1478-1489 of the Legislative Journal.)